Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 15 Jul 2024 until 23:59 on Tuesday 16 Jul 2024

Forecast Issued on Monday 15 Jul 2024 at 03:32

Confidence: High for the general evolution and for Monday being the wettest day of the week ahead. Moderate for the timing of rain on Monday and low for details of thunder.

Headline for Monday 15 Jul 2024: Heavy and persistent rain soon arriving with possible thunderstorms.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 15 Jul 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Medium Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
High Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Fog
Precipitation probability					
10%	40%	80%	90%	80%	80%

Forecast for Monday 15 Jul 2024

Weather: Perhaps some brightness first thing but overcast skies developing early in the morning, with heavy rain arriving from mid-morning. The rain will be persistent through much of the day and often heavy, potentially turning thundery at times as well.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 90% at first, 40% by late morning then 20% from early afternoon onwards.

Low cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud developing above 600m during the morning, before becoming widespread above 400-600m for the afternoon and evening. Perhaps some patches down to 300m at times. After very good visibility at first, becoming widely moderate to poor in rain from mid-morning onwards and very poor in low cloud covering the hills.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	13/21 E	14/20 SE	15/20 E	15/20 E	11/15 W	12/16 W	12/16 W
300	6/12 E	6/12 E	8/15 E	8/15 E	7/14 W	7/15 W	8/16 W
Valley	4/10 E	7/15 E	7/15 E	6/14 E	4/11 SW	6/15 W	7/15 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/9	11/8	11/8	12/10	12/10	11/9	11/9
300	11/10	12/11	13/12	13/12	14/13	13/12	12/11
Valley	11/11	13/11	14/13	14/13	15/15	13/13	13/12
Freezing Level*	2800m	2800m	2900m	3000m	2800m	2500m	2500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

The risk of thunderstorms is uncertain, but regardless the persistent and heavy nature of the rain during the afternoon will lead to slippery paths and streams rapidly rising, with waterproofs likely becoming soaked. Navigation conditions deteriorating during the morning.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Mon 15 Jul 2024	0mm	0mm	0.6mm

Forecast for Tuesday 16 Jul 2024

Weather: Cloudy with heavy and possibly thundery rain moving slowly northeast overnight. Rain should gradually clear to the east during Tuesday morning. Becoming drier and brighter, with a few scattered showers by the afternoon. Any showers easing by mid-afternoon to become largely dry with some evening sunshine developing for most.

Maximum wind: Westerly 20mph gusting 30 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 20% becoming 80%.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread cloud above 400-600m at first, most persistent in the west. Becoming patchy above 700m by midday and lifting above summits by the end of the afternoon. Generally good visibility but occasionally moderate or poor in showers and very poor in cloud.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 13 Celsius wiring to plus 19 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above the summits.

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